- 1.) Lessen FCC involvement and resources used for 160-meters because it would reduce disputes and conflicts between operators.
- 2.) Provide protected space for experimentation with narrow modes of the future.
- 3.) Protect all current narrow modes from wide-mode interference.
- 4.) Bring 160-meters into the same basic structure as other bands below UHF, where ALL other bands have a narrow-mode-only segment.